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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the Office Action dated July 15, 2002 (Paper No. 18) for which a response was due on October 15, 2002. We are submitting with this response a petition for a three month extension of time to extend the time for response up to and including January 15, 2003. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

In this response, Applicants have responded to all issues raised in the July 15, 2002 Office Action and reconsideration and allowance of the Application is respectfully requested.

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